

## ALLIED FLEETS AT GATES OF DARDANELLES

### Bombardment of Turkish Fortifications at Long Range

## MONARCH PITTSBURG PROVES TO BE A MINE

### LATEST ROUND OF SHOTS SHOW HUGE VEIN TO HAVE SHIPPING VALUES IN QUANTITY ON THE FOOT WALL SIDE

The Monarch Pittsburg is a coming mine. It passed the prospect stage yesterday afternoon when a round of shots blew into the high grade. Superintendent Smith had previously been plowing through 58 feet of hard white quartz that began utterly barren and slowly picked up values until for the past 48 hours it was of the milling variety. He declined to give the exact values of the latest development, but Robert Govan stated that the present showing was a face of shipping ore. He said that the exact assays would not be made public until after several more rounds were fired in order to prove the extent of the strike. Eleven cents was bid in vain for stock this morning on the streets.

When asked for a statement with reference to the alleged strike in the Monarch Pittsburg this morning, Superintendent Branch Smith said:

"Yes, we have had some splendid assays from the big vein which we encountered a few weeks since in the 850-foot south crosscut, but inasmuch as we have not had time to perform sufficient development to ascertain the size of the shoot, we are reluctant as well as unable to give out any details. No one can guarantee anything in this mining game. We have it today, but may shoot it out tomorrow. Of course, the present indications are such that we do not think we are going to shoot it out, but we may. One hundred feet of development in this district can sometimes upset the calculations of our most eminent geologists, and hence development is the only true barometer. As to whether or not we have the extension of the Murray vein, we hope we have, and the assays indicate that it is, but it may not be. It may be an entirely new vein, or an extension of the Egyptian vein in the Tonopah Extension mine."

### CLERGY BEING HELD FOR BIG RANSOM

HALF MILLION DOLLARS IS THE  
AMOUNT DEMANDED FOR  
THEIR FREEDOM

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—All the native Roman Catholic clergy in Mexico City are being held for a half million dollar ransom on official advice. The only priests exempted are those of foreign nationality who have been ordered to leave the country.

### GERMAN SUBMARINE TORPEDOES STEAMSHIP

ENGLISH VESSEL SUNK WITH-  
OUT WARNING AND LIVES  
DESTROYED

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Feb. 20.—The steamship Cambank of Cardiff was torpedoed off the coast of Wales today by a German submarine without warning. The third engineer and two firemen were killed and another member of the crew drowned.

### MONTANA WILL RESUME SHIPMENTS AT ONCE

The Montana-Tonopah, which forwarded 258 tons of good milling ore to the West End reduction plant last week, was not on the producing list this week. Extraction of ore was suspended while timbering of the stope was in progress. This has been completed and the production from this property will be resumed in a day or two. The property is in better shape for outputting ore than it has been for a long time.

### EXTENSION AND BELMONT SHIP BULLION

Two shipments of bullion went forth this morning by Wells, Fargo. The Belmont sent out 56 bars, weighing 112,540 ounces. If the gold and silver content is estimated at 56 cents an ounce, the shipment was worth \$63,022.40. This was two weeks' clean-up. The Tonopah Extension shipped 6,564 pounds of bullion, valued at \$54,500, which was also a semi-monthly clean-up. The total shipments today was worth \$117,522.40.

### BE A BIRD OR RELINQUISH THE PERCH

One of the enthusiasts of Tonopah for a "more liberal" state government, who paid his fare to Carson City to help put the gambling and divorce bills through the legislature, said over the telephone last evening after reading this paper: "Bully for the Bonanza! It's the best editorial it ever contained! I am against your conservative policy with relation to gambling and easy divorce, and I am also against the veto of these measures. But let Governor Boyle either BE governor and exercise the right to affirm or veto, or get off the perch; or, better yet, let's abolish his office and give his salary and emoluments to charity and refer EVERYTHING to the people. I will sign my name to this telephonic message if you will let me see the proof and thus be assured that there are no typographical errors. Go to it, for there is a majority of others besides myself that are with you to the finish and against the referendum."

(Signed) H. H. BACON.

### ALL RECORDS FOR ATTENDANCE ARE SMASHED AT FAIR

BRILLIANT AND AUSPICIOUS  
OPENING OF PANAMA-PACIFIC  
EXPOSITION

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The Panama-Pacific exposition was formally opened at noon. President Wilson from the White House touched the button of a wireless apparatus and electric waves leaped across the continent. The apparatus swung open the doors of the palace of machinery and unloosed the waters of the fountain of energy and set off bomb signals. "Today is the triumph," said governor Johnson, "of a San Francisco that nine years ago lay prostrate in ruins."

Salvos of artillery salutes, whistles and drums awakened the city at dawn. The day was declared a holiday. A gigantic parade, consisting of thousands took place. Among those marching were Secretary Lane representing the president, the governor, legislators of California and Nevada, and the mayors of many cities. The dedication was short and as simple as possible. Soldiers and marines escorted the officials to the stand facing the main entrance and were welcomed by President Moore. Secretary Lane read a message from President Wilson, which said: "My heartiest congratulations. Express my hope that the highest expectations of the exposition officials for its success will be more than realized." All records for world's fairs attendance on the opening day were broken. There were more than 280,000 admissions.

### NEGROES WARNED TO HIT THE TRAIL

NIGHT RIDERS CAUSE THREE  
HUNDRED BLACKS TO  
LEAVE HOMES

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW MADRID, Mo., Feb. 20.—As a result of warnings from "night riders" that they must leave the district before Tuesday, 300 negroes have left New Madrid county. As many more are preparing for their departure. The sheriff asked the governor for militia as trouble is expected. Some land owners object to the militia coming, saying that the negroes on the farms are law-abiding and are not causing trouble.

### THREE VESSELS HIT DURING THE BIG BOMBARDMENT

FORTS NOT SILENCED AFTER  
BEING SHELL FOR  
SEVEN HOURS

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 20.—A Constantinople dispatch says: British and French warships fired 400 shots Saturday without success, attacking the outer forts of the Dardanelles. Eight other Anglo-French warships bombarded the other forts of the Dardanelles for seven hours without silencing them. Three hostile armored ships were damaged. One flagship was damaged severely. It is reported one man was killed on the Turkish side.

### SECOND NORWEGIAN VESSEL IN GRIEF

BJARKO ENTERS BLOCKADE  
LINE, STRIKES MINE AND  
IS SUNK

(By Associated Press.)  
NAKSKOV, Denmark, Feb. 20.—The Norwegian steamer Bjarko struck a mine and sank. The crew were saved. This is the second disaster to Norwegian vessels since the German blockade went into effect. The steamer Belridge was torpedoed yesterday by a submarine and badly damaged. It was beached.

### START BUILD SUBMARINES BUT WORK CALLED OFF

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Officials of the Union iron works admitted some time ago that work on eight submarine hulls was being done here. Later they said the work had been stopped owing to a canceled contract.

### CLAIM BRITISH SUBMARINES ARE BEING BUILT HERE

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Germany and Austria have complained that submarines are being built in the United States for Great Britain and shipped in parts to Canada. The statement asserted that submarines are being built in Boston, Seattle and San Francisco.

## RUSSIANS BRING UP HEAVY GUNS AND RESUME BOMBARDMENT OF PRZEMYEL STRONGLY FORTIFIED GALICIAN CITY

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Feb. 19.—In an attempt to force the Dardanelles, the gate to Constantinople, the French and British warships began a bombardment of the Turkish fortifications, which is being continued. The allies' fleets have been at the entrance to the Dardanelles for months. Aeroplanes are co-operating with the warships in the attack, which has had "considerable effect." The forts on both sides of the entrance opened fire at long range. The forts of the Europeans were apparently silenced. No ships were struck. The action began yesterday and the warships resumed the bombardment today.

(By Associated Press.)  
ATHENS, Feb. 20.—It is reported that the Anglo-French fleet destroyed the Turkish forts on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles during the bombardment. The forts on the European side were attacked, but are still firing.

(By Associated Press.)  
GENEVA, Feb. 20.—A new attack has been begun by the Russians on the fortified Galician city of Przemyel, whose resistance to the besiegers for month after month has been one of the big features of the campaign in the east. The Russians are reported to have brought new heavy guns for assault. Elsewhere in Galicia the Russians have gained some successes, especially near Dukla Pass, where the Austrians suffered heavy losses.

### TUNNEL COMPLETED AT COST OF \$6,000,000

INDICATES DETERMINATION OF  
GERMANY TO HOLD RICH  
MINING TERRITORY

(By Associated Press.)  
PARIS, Feb. 20.—The Frankfurter Zeitung reports that the Germans have pierced the hills from Joeuf in French territory to Moyeuve-la-Grand in Lorraine to facilitate communications. The tunnel has been completed in two years' work and cost \$6,000,000. This tunnel was long ago proposed by miners and manufacturers in the iron mining district of the valley of Briey, but opposed by the government for strategical reasons. The execution of the work by the Germans is taken as indicating a determination on their part to hold this rich mining country at all hazards.

### LIST OF CASUALTIES NEVER BE COMPLETE

KILLED AND WOUNDED IN NAVAL  
BOMBARDMENT CANNOT  
BE TABULATED

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Feb. 20.—The complete list of the killed and wounded in the naval bombardment on the east coast may never be tabulated. At Hartlepool the death-rate to date is 113 and the wounded approximately 300. At Whitby three were killed and only two wounded. At Scarborough the list is not procurable, though it is known that 11 at least died and 28 were injured. These figures are rather under than over the actual totals.

### FORCES OF CARRANZA MEET WITH DEFEAT

FIVE HUNDRED MEN FOUND  
MISSING WHEN NOSES  
ARE COUNTED

(By Associated Press.)  
MAZATLAN, Mexico, Feb. 20.—General Carrasco, a Carranza supporter, was decisively defeated by General Buelna, a Villa partisan, in a battle near Rosario. The Carrasco troops are streaming into Mazatlan. Five hundred men of Carrasco's forces are missing.

### RECORD OF INJURIES IS AGAIN BROKEN

MAN SUSTAINS 139 WOUNDS AND  
REMAINS LONG IN  
TRENCHES

(By Associated Press.)  
PARIS, Feb. 20.—The record of 79 wounds received by an army surgeon has been broken by René Vidal, reservist of Raincy. While in the trenches a shell exploded immediately behind him and the lower part of his body and limbs were riddled with shrapnel. From eight in the morning until evening he lay in the trench without even first aid. When he arrived at the auxiliary hospital a thorough examination showed traces of 139 separate and distinct wounds. His case was considered desperate as he had lost an extraordinary quantity of blood, but he is now able to get about on crutches.

### MANY GERMANS IN TRADE IN ITALY

WILL LEAVE FOR NORTH AS  
SOON AS CAN ARRANGE  
MATTERS

(By Associated Press.)  
GENEVA, Feb. 20.—According to official statistics there are 72,000 Germans of both sexes engaged in trade in Italy, 40,000 in the north chiefly at Milan and Turin. These Germans have received notice to leave the country as soon as they can arrange their business matters through the German consulates. The express trains arriving at Chiasso for Basel, on the St. Gothard line, and at Brieg via the Simplon tunnel, are crowded with Germans and Austrians returning to their countries. Certain portions of the Swiss frontier have been reinforced.

### MAYTORENA-CABRAL TROOPS TAKE POSSESSION OF NACO

(By Associated Press.)  
NACO, Feb. 20.—A force of the Maytorena-Cabral troops today took possession of Naco, Sonora, which was evacuated last month by Carranza on agreement that it should remain a neutral port.

### STATE CATTLE OWNERS WILL MEET NEXT MONTH

The Nevada Cattle Owners' association will meet in Reno Saturday, March 20. An unusually large attendance is expected and a special rate of one fare and a third will be in effect on the Southern Pacific lines.